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SUBJECT: W/W AMCIT JOHN J. SULLIVAN

REF: A) STATE 6339 B) SAN SALVADOR 199

1. THE FAMILY OF SUBJECT HAS REQUESTED THAT THE EMBASSY OBTAIN A COMPLETE INVENTORY OF SULLIVAN'S PERSONAL EFFECTS AND EQUIPMENT NOW IN CUSTODY OF SHERATON HOTEL MANAGER.

2. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE THROUGH TACO INTL. TO OBTAIN PASSENGER AND CREW MANIFEST OF DECEMBER 28 FLIGHT TO EL SALVADOR. LISTS SHOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO ASSIST IN INVESTIGATION. SUBJECT IS SAID TO BE AN EXTROVERT BY NATURE AND MAY HAVE DISCUSSED HIS BUSINESS WITH MEMBER OF CREW OR PASSENGERS. MANIFESTS WILL BE FORWARDED BY SEPARATE TELEGRAM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT.

3. FAMILY HAS INQUIRED ABOUT MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION USED BY SUBJECT BETWEEN AIRPORT AND HOTEL. THEY FEEL THAT BECAUSE OF SUBJECT'S TALKATIVE AND FORWARD NATURE HE ALSO MAY HAVE CONFIDED WITH TAXI DRIVER OR BUS

PASSENGER.

4. SULLIVAN FAMILY NOTIFIED OF PENDING HOTEL BILL BEFORE RELEASE OF EFFECTS CAN BE MADE. PLEASE ADVISE IF U.S. DOLLARS 226.36 IS AMOUNT DUE HOTEL FROM DECEMBER 28 (EVENING SUBJECT CHECKED IN) THROUGH JANUARY 6 WHEN SUBJECT WAS REPORTED MISSING OR WILL AMOUNT CONTINUE TO INCREASE AS LONG AS HOTEL HAS CUSTODY OF EFFECTS. FAMILY HAS STATED THAT THEY PREFER EFFECTS REMAIN AT HOTEL FOR SEVERAL MORE DAYS IN EVENT SUBJECT SHOULD SHOW UP. WHEN DECISION TO PAY INDEBTEDNESS TO HOTEL AND CLAIM EFFECTS ARE MADE WILL EMBASSY PROCEED TO PREPARE POWER OF ATTORNEY IN NAME OF FATHER, JOHN SULLIVAN, JR. HOPEFULLY FORWARDING INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE PROVIDED AT SAME TIME BUT IN EVENT OF SOME DELAY WILL EMBASSY SAFEGUARD EFFECTS ON TEMPORARY BASIS.

5. PLEASE ADVISE IF GIAMPORCARO/LASBURY/LANE TELECON JANUARY 9 ESTABLISHED WHETHER PAO LANE IN CONVERSATION WITH MEMBER OF SULLIVAN FAMILY MADE STATEMENT TO THE EFFECT "DON'T HAVE ANY ALLUSION ABOUT CAPACITY OF LOCAL POLICE HERE BECAUSE SULLIVAN CASE IS NOT PRIORITY."

6. YOUR COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE APPRECIATED. MUSKIE

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